

91 Galena Ave.



# SALE ENDS SATURDAY

## T. J. MILLER'S GREAT FACTORY PRICE PIANO SALE

EVERY PROSPECTIVE BUYER WHO ATTENDED THIS SALE HAS PURCHASED

No Time for Details. Easy Terms. Enough said. Your Neighbors have selected their Piano--Have You?  
OPEN EVENINGS. Galena Avenue and Second Sts.

### WANTS.

**COOK**—Do not apply unless first-class. 20217  
**HAND-IRONER** at the City Steam Laundry. 20217  
**COMPETENT** kitchen girl to begin work on the 15th. Apply to Rock River Military Academy. 20217  
**COMPETENT** girl for housework. Mrs. H. T. Noble, 312 Third St. 21217  
**POSITION** as housekeeper for gentleman. No objections to children. Enquire at 1015 East Chamberlain St. 21217  
**COMPETENT** girl for general housework. 306 Hennepin Ave. 21217  
**REMALE** Help—Girl Shoe Stitches at once. Bradley-Metcalf Co., Milwaukee, Wis. 21217  
**ENERGETIC** man in each county to post signs, advertise and distribute samples; salary \$15 weekly, \$3 per day for expenses. Honesty and sobriety more essential than experience. National Co., 730 Chestnut St., Philadelphia. 21217  
**HELP WANTED**—Male Agents for Complete Russian-Japan War Book; good salary, sample free. Address Globe Co., 723 Chestnut St., Phila'da. 21217

### FOR RENT

**SIX** rooms, modern in every way, three blocks of town in very good neighborhood, rent \$16.50. F. E. Stille Co. 21217  
**NEW**, seven-room house, city water, close to business center, rent \$14. F. E. Stille Co. 21217  
**SIX-ROOM** house and barn at the corner of First St. and Monroe Ave. W. W. Woolly 21217  
**MODERN** furnished house one block from Court House. Enquire at this office. 31016  
**NORTH** half of double house at 399 Peoria avenue, furnace heated. Enquire of Mrs. Anna Worthington or Chas. Hall. 20212  
**TWO** furnished front rooms. 306 East Second street. Apply at residence. 4517  
**OFFICE** rooms in Union Block formerly occupied by Dr. A. L. Miller. Enquire of B. C. Bell, City National Bank. 4417  
**PARTLY** new four room cottage for rent, situated on College Ave., good kitchen and well water. All complete. Enquire of F. A. Albright, 922 Seventh St. 19217  
**LAST** one-half of house No. 717 West Second St. Enquire of Mrs. C. H. Huggins. 19217  
**5 ROOM** house in good repair, West Fellows street; city and electric water, convenient to car line. Apply to Henry Levi at the Plymouth store. 20217  
**FURNISHED** room with furnace heat, beautiful shade and fine view of river. One or two gentlemen preferred. Address, Box 335, City. 20217  
**8 ROOM** house, cor. Tenth and Ottawa Ave. W. W. Woolly, 91 Galena Ave., over Moyer & Baril's store. 21217  
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### FOUND

**A GOOD** man to remove garbage and ashes also to clean your cesspools and closets. Dead animals removed. Disinfectants for sale. Both phones. Wm. N. Gilbert, Dixon. 4517

### FOR SALE

**SIX** acres, good house and barn, one mile from Court House. Call or write C. F. Ball, Rooms 1, 2, 3, Brown Block. 21217  
**BUGGY**—good as new, new tires and newly painted. Enquire at Bishop's Livery Barn. 21217  
**160 ACRES** of land, 1 1/2 miles from Westington, S. D., on main line C. & N. R. B. 25 miles west of Huron. Inquire or address, J. H. Drew, 702 N. Galena Ave. Dixon. 21217

**THREE** houses, newly painted and in good repair; also four lots, situated on Seventh St. and College Ave. Enquire of F. A. Albright, 922 Seventh St. 21217

**BOILER**—most new, eight-horse power engine, six horse power, \$65.00. Enquire of I. S. Graybill, 208 East Chamberlain St. 21217

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**120** ACRE Farm 3 miles west of Amboy, well improved, good land, at \$350 cash rent per year.  
**ONE** 80 ACRE Farm 5 miles southwest of Amboy, good land and fair improvements, at \$3 cash rent per acre. Enquire of F. A. Anderson, at Amboy House, Amboy, Ill. 21217

## FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Will cure any case of Kidney or Bladder disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine.

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Spiegel, 104 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind. For over four years I was troubled with a kidney and bladder affection. I lost sleep and was unable to work. Three physicians failed to help me and I was given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured.

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It is the rarest thing in the world for a man to be necessarily bald. No man whose hair is not dead at the roots, need be bald if he will use Newbro's Herpicide, the new scalp antiseptic. Herpicide destroys the germ that cuts the hair off at the root; and cleans the scalp of dandruff and leaves it in a perfectly healthy condition. Mr. Mannett, in the Maryland Block, Butte, Mont., was entirely bald. In less than a month Herpicide had removed the enemies of hair growth, and nature did its work by covering his head with thick hair an inch long, and in six weeks he had a normal suit of hair. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

Walgreen-Davis Drug Company  
Sole Agents.

### McVicker's Theatre.

"As Ye Sow", the new melodrama by the Rev. John Snyder, which is now the reigning sensation in Chicago, will remain at McVicker's Theatre for three weeks, closing its engagement Saturday Sept. 30. The play has drawn tremendous audiences and the people have been delighted with the production, the superb company and the fine play.

One of the big scenes of the play shows a storm at sea. There is first the sunshine and peace of a bright morning, succeeded by the gradual darkening of the skies and a terrific down pour of real rain. Then out of the mist rises a tall light-house and on the rocks at its base a schooner is tossed wildly to and fro, while the waves rage and the surf rushes onto the shore. Into the seething and maddened waters the life boat goes and the spectators see it near the ship and reach its goal. This scene is received nightly with a whirlwind of applause.

"As Ye Sow" tells of the good people of Cape Cod—rough men and women with hearts of gold, and of the minister who teaches the little flock in one of the Cape villages. His love for a Boston girl and the romance which develops out of the great storm make up the play. There is abundance of comedy and several side-splitting situations in which the deacon and his wife; the captain of the life saving crew and Huldah Cushing, and the seation boy and the girl at the minister's figure. All of these love stories come to a happy ending.

A tonic that makes rich, red blood Brings strength, health and happiness to the whole family. Nothing equals Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea as a tonic. 35 cents. Rowland Bros.

### Good Duck Hunting Expected.

The expectations is that there will be good duck hunting this fall along the Mississippi, says the Galena Gazette. Further north the smaller lakes and familiar marshes are already teeming with teal and a goodly number of mallard, and when the weather gets a little cooler they will begin to fly south. Snipe are also reported to be quite plentiful this fall.

### BOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

### THE EYE IN READING.

How Its Jumps Along the Printed Line Are Measured.

We know that an eye at ordinary reading distance takes in about one inch of a line at a time and that in reading a line of an ordinary book the eye makes five or six distinct jumps. But as the movements are so very minute and rapid how have they been studied?

A beam of light is thrown upon the cornea of the eye, and this beam is reflected by the cornea on a photographic plate. As the eye moves in reading the reflected beam also moves, and up on developing the plate, which is also kept moving, a zigzag line is found. A study of such photographic tracings shows that the eyes in turning back to pick up the next line have some difficulty in so doing. The longer the line of print the greater the effort, and for this reason we may conclude that a narrow line is better for an eye than a long one, and if the line be much wider than the ordinary newspaper column there is greater effort involved.—Jewelers' Weekly.

### A WELL KEPT SECRET.

How the Keeper Managed the Church and Town Hall Clocks.

The old watchmaker of a small town in the west of England recently retired, and the contract for keeping the church and town hall clocks in order was given to his successor. Unfortunately from the start the new man experienced a difficulty in getting the clocks to strike at the same time. At last the district council requested an interview with the watchmaker.

"You are not so successful with the clocks as your predecessor," he was told. "It is very misleading to have one clock strike three or four minutes after the other. Why, before you took them in hand we could hardly tell the two were striking. Surely you are as competent as Mr. H."

"Every workman has his own methods, gentlemen," replied the watchmaker, "and mine ain't the same as H's were."

"I'm decidedly of the opinion that it would be for the general good if they were," remarked one of the councilors. "Very well, sir; in the future they shall be," came the reply. "I happened to write to Mr. H. last week about the trouble I had with the clocks, and—perhaps," he added as he produced a letter and handed it to the chairman, "you'd like to see what he said."

"Dear Sir (ran the letter)—About them clocks. When you get to know what a cantankerous lot of busybodies the council consists of you'll do the same as I did for fifteen years—forget to wind up the striker of the town hall clock, and the silly owls won't be able to tell that both clocks ain't striking together."—Tit-Bits.

### OLD FAMILIES.

One of Them Claims to Reach Back Beyond the Flood.

The most ancient family in France, in so far as the tracing back of the ancestry in an unbroken line is concerned, is the royal house of Bourbon, which goes back to Robert le Fort, in the year 861. Next in point of antiquity comes the Rohan family, which for the last century, however, has been settled in Austria, the so called Rohans in France being not really Rohans, but merely Chabots, their only connection with the house of Rohan being by marriage.

Then comes the house of Narbonne-Pelet, the head of which is the Duc de Narbonne, who can trace his lineage back without interruption to the year 910. Of course, in making this assertion, I do not take into consideration the somewhat mythical claim of the Duke of Levis-Mirepoix to be descended in a direct and unbroken line from Jacob's son, Levi. He has among his family pictures one old painting in which the Holy Virgin is represented as requesting the former Duke of Levis-Mirepoix to put on his hat, which he had doffed in salutation, she being depicted as uttering the words "Couvrez vous, mon cousin." Another picture represents an ancestor of the Duke of Levis-Mirepoix navigating a small boat on the waters of the deluge, he being too exclusive and high toned to share the ark with the Noah family and its belongings.—London Chronicle.

### THE CRITICAL PERIODS IN A WOMAN'S LIFE

Are When the Change Comes From Childhood to Womanhood and Later When the Organs of the Pelvic Region Cease Their Work.

### DR. A. W. CHASE'S NERVE PILLS.

When the child changes from girlhood to womanhood and again later in life when the organs of the pelvic region cease their work, there is a strain thrown upon the nervous system, that requires outside aid that there may be supplied a proper amount of additional strength and resistive power. This Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills do to a certainty by their ability to supply to the nervous system and the organs affected, an amount of nerve strength and energy that enables them to accommodate themselves rapidly and easily to the changes taking place.

Mrs. Julia Rowland, of No. 264 Pearl St., Buffalo, writes:

"Both myself and daughter, aged 17 are deeply indebted to Dr. A. W. Chase and his Nerve Pills. They certainly are a grand tonic to the nerves I used them about a year ago, to give me the strength and vitality to go through the ordeal that usually comes to woman at change of life, and found all the nervousness, crying spells and weakness disappear in a hurry. This led me to give them to my daughter about the time she began to have the endless trouble some girls do in early life and the medicine acted equally as well with her. She grew strong and steady—the color became good—the languor and lassitude disappeared and she was able to go about her school duties as usual. I consider the Dr. A. W. Chase Nerve Pills unequalled as a nerve and general tonic in such cases and gladly recommend them to others who suffer in a similar manner." 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D., on every package.

For sale by Walgreen-Davis Co. Druggists, Dixon, Ill. Both Phones—54.

### Willard Union Meets Tomorrow.

The Frances Willard W. O. T. U. will hold its regular meeting with Mrs. Harvey Eggericks, 403 Van Buren avenue at 2:30. A large attendance is desired.

Colds cause indigestion and costive[ness]. Fluids which should pass through the bowels and kidneys are secreted by the nose and throat. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure. 35 cents. Rowland Bros.

For a clear complexion take

## ORINO Laxative Fruit Syrup

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Orino cleanses the system, and makes sallow blotched complexions smooth and clear. Cures chronic constipation by gently stimulating the stomach, liver and bowels. Refuse substitutes. Price 50c.

Rowland Bros., Druggists

### CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN

Corrected June 1, 1905.

Correct time of all passenger and freight trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers.

| EAST BOUND TO CHICAGO. |                        |              |           |
|------------------------|------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| No.                    | Lv. Dixon.             | Ar. Chicago. |           |
| 8                      | 3:25 a.m.              | daily        | 6:45 a.m. |
| 6                      | 4:52 a.m.              | daily        | 7:30 a.m. |
| 16                     | 6:16 a.m.              | daily        | 8:55 a.m. |
| 2                      | 6:37 a.m.              | daily        | 9:00 a.m. |
| 18*                    | 7:19 a.m. d. ex. Sun.  | 10:10 a.m.   |           |
| 20                     | 10:32 a.m. d. ex. Sun. | 1:40 p.m.    |           |
| 34                     | 3:50 p.m. d. ex. Sun.  | 7:10 p.m.    |           |
| 12                     | 6:17 p.m.              | daily        | 8:50 p.m. |
| 28                     | 4:15 p.m. Sun. only    | 7:50 p.m.    |           |

WEST BOUND FROM CHICAGO.

| No. | Lv. Chicago.           | Ar. Dixon. |            |
|-----|------------------------|------------|------------|
| 3   | 11:00 p.m.             | daily      | 1:52 a.m.  |
| 13  | 7:05 a.m. d. ex. Sun.  | 10:23 a.m. |            |
| 5   | 10:15 a.m.             | daily      | 12:44 p.m. |
| 87  | 12:30 p.m. d. ex. Sun. | 3:45 p.m.  |            |
| 17* | 4:00 p.m. d. ex. Sun.  | 6:48 p.m.  |            |
| 35  | 6:00 p.m.              | daily      | 8:45 p.m.  |
| 11  | 7:00 p.m.              | daily      | 9:14 p.m.  |
| 1   | 8:02 p.m.              | daily      | 10:23 p.m. |

\*Sterling Passenger.

FREIGHTS.

No. 863. .... 7:40 a. m., ex. Sun. Passenger train, Dixon to Peoria.  
No. 131. .... at 11:1 a. m. Sun. only Carries passengers Franklin to Clinton

J. J. CARTY, Agent.

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

Corrected June 1, 1905.

Correct time of all the passenger and freight trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers.

SOUTHBOUND.

|      |                        |            |
|------|------------------------|------------|
| No.  |                        |            |
| *123 | Southern Express. .... | 10:35 a.m. |
| 131  | Decatur Express. ....  | 4:00 p.m.  |
| 191  | Local Freight. ....    | 9:37 a.m.  |

NORTHBOUND.

|      |                           |            |
|------|---------------------------|------------|
| No.  |                           |            |
| 132  | Omaha Day Express. ....   | 9:37 a.m.  |
| *124 | Local Mail. ....          | 5:40 p.m.  |
| 192  | Local Freight train. .... | 12:45 p.m. |

\*Daily Other trains daily except Sunday.

L. BACKUS.

Ticket Agent I. C. R. R.

MAIL CLOSURES.

EAST CHICAGO AND N. W.

| No.                                |                                                        |                  |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| No. 18                             | Sterling Passenger R. P. O.                            |                  |
| 7:19 a. m.                         | .....                                                  | 6:55 a. m.       |
| *No. 20                            | C. R. & C. B. R. P. O.                                 |                  |
| 10:32 a. m.                        | .....                                                  | 10 10 a. m.      |
| *No. 14                            | Express Pouch, Chicago Franklin Grove and Ashton, Ill. |                  |
| 3:52 p. m.                         | .....                                                  | 3:30 p. m.       |
| No. 10                             | C. R. & C. B. R.                                       |                  |
| P. O. does not stop at Dixon a. m. | 4:41 a. m.                                             | ..... 8:30 p. m. |
| No. 12                             | R. P. O. 6:17 p. m.                                    | ..... 5:45 p. m. |

WEST.

|                                                            |                        |             |
|------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| No. 5                                                      | C. R. & C. B. R. P. O. |             |
| 12:44 p. m.                                                | .....                  | 12:15 p. m. |
| *No. 17                                                    | C. R. & C. B. R. P. O. |             |
| 6:48 p. m.                                                 | .....                  | 5:45 p. m.  |
| No. 9                                                      | C. R. & C. B. R. P. O. |             |
| 11:59 p. m.                                                | .....                  | 8:30 p. m.  |
| † Grand Detour, Ill., leave daily except Sunday at 7 a. m. |                        |             |
| † Daily except Sunday.                                     |                        |             |

SOUTH.

|                               |                                    |  |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| 123                           | Express Pouch closes at 10:10 a.m. |  |
| Amboy, Mendota and C. B. & Q. |                                    |  |
| 131 R. P. O. close at. ....   | 3:30 p.m.                          |  |

NORTH.

|                                                        |           |  |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------|--|
| 132 R. P. O. close at. ....                            | 9:15 a.m. |  |
| 124 Express Mail closes at. ....                       | 5:15 p.m. |  |
| Woosung, Polo, Freeport, Freeport and Dubuque R. P. O. |           |  |

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A fine lot of misit high grade suits \$10 to \$16 per suits—cut from \$25 to \$30 to order.  
Men's working pants 75c, 85c and 95c a pair  
Boys' knee pants 15c, 20c, 25c and 50c a pair  
300 samples of men's fine hats and caps—prices from 25c, 40c, 50c and upward

### Great Shoe Sale

Odds and ends in women's, Misses' and boys' shoes 25c and 50c a pair  
Women's fine Dongola or Kangaroo calf shoes 98c a pair  
Men's Satin Calf shoes \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75  
Men's fine dress shoes in Vici, Velour, Box Calf, bal and blucher, \$2.25 and \$2.50  
Men's Patent Coltskin \$2.75 a pair  
Misses' Kangaroo shoes, 9 to 12, 90c pr  
Misses' " " 13 to 2, 95c pr

### A Few Notions

Best spool cotton thread only 2c spool  
Best needles 3c a paper  
20 doz lapses' belt hose supporters 10c a pair  
Best rubber shoe laces 5c dozen  
Rubber-tipped lead pencils 1c each

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# The Evening Story

For DIXON TELEGRAPH Readers

## AN ANGEL UNAWARES

By KATE M. CLEARY

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The April downpour was at its fiercest when the knock came to the kitchen door. It was a timid knock—so timid that Nan stood with knife suspended over the pan of apples she was paring, thinking her imagination might have played her a trick. It came again—low, entreating.

The girl crossed to the door and opened it.

"Good land!" she cried. "Come in! You poor little soul, whoever you are, come in!" And out of the blinding rain she caught the little black, shrinking figure and whirled it into the warmth and spicy scent of the big kitchen.

She stood and looked at her unexpected visitor, her gaze a curious blending of amazement and compassion. Such a frail, old figure of a woman. The plain black cashmere gown, the thin shawl, the close little bonnet, all were dripping rain, from the stiff jet spirals ornamenting the bonnet to the hem of the poor skirt. And the face that looked up at Nan, dumb and beseeching, was childishly pathetic in its wistfulness. The woman held a worn bag clutched in one hand.

"I," faltered the stranger deprecatingly—"I got caught in the rain!"

Nan threw back her head and laughed—a girlish laugh, crisp and infectious, and the shriveled countenance of the intruder relaxed into a smile.

"Pardon me," cried Nan, controlling herself; "only it was so evident you had not been under shelter the last hour that I couldn't help laughing. Here, sit down in this rocker near the stove." She deftly unpinned the soaking shawl and removed the pulpy bonnet. "Dear, dear," she exclaimed, "you've no rubbers on! And your feet are dripping! You're just a bundle of wetness! Whatever will I do with you?"

She spoke with the air of solicitude she might have used toward a child. Nan was only seventeen, but she had many burdens on her shoulders, and she bore them with courage. A year ago, when she had graduated from the high school, the hope that she might go to college was strong within her. But her aunt and cousin had condemned her desire and derided her ambition. There was no money to spare for such foolishness. There was work to be done at home.

The latter fact the girl was given no opportunity to doubt. The maid of all work had been dismissed the week of her graduation, and Nan had been installed in her place. And silently, but with fierce inward rebellion, she accepted her duties. But her father had been a man of letters and a professor in a university, and she had inherited his love of learning. So it was with a heavy heart she saw the days slipping by and with them the time she would have given to the acquirement of further knowledge. Today many bidden tasks still remained to be accomplished, and here was this forlorn creature on her hands.

"I'm sure I'm sorry to be making you trouble, my dear," piped up the plaintive old voice. "If when after I'm rested a bit you'll be telling me my direction I'll be moving on."

But suddenly she went ghastly white. She caught her hand sharply to her side, and her lips turned blue.

"Here," cried Nan, "take this!" She had gone for a stimulant and was back, holding it pressed to the twitching mouth. The old woman swallowed the liquid and tried to rise.

"Sit still!" commanded Nan. "You're ill! You mustn't stir!"

Nan stood before her, tall and slender in her blue cotton gown, with a big white apron belted in at her waist. The pure pallor of her skin was accentuated by the blackness of her brows and lashes. Her gray eyes were wide with perplexity.

"Wait a minute," she ordered and went flashing up the back stairs. She reappeared with a load of garments over her arm. "You're such a mite of a thing the clothes that I've outgrown will fit you," she said. "Your bag? Here it is—safe behind you. There!" She worked rapidly as she talked. "Now you're dry and comfortable anyhow, if you do look funny."

The old woman smiled up at her gratefully. She did look funny in the schoolgirl gown of red, but the color had come into her cheeks, and her chilled feet were growing warm in the dry stockings and slippers.

"Now I'll make you some tea and toast," declared Nan, hanging the wet clothes to dry. "And then I must get back to—Good gracious, my cake is burning!"

She was on her knees in a minute

and had snatched the oven door wide open. A smoking, blackened mound confronted her. And, as ill luck would have it, at that very moment Helena Burnet, her cousin and mistress of the house owing to the invalidism of Mrs. Burnet, came sailing into the kitchen.

"What's this?" she cried sharply. She was in street attire, but had been well protected from the storm. "Your cake ruined! And that—who is that person?" Her cheeks scarlet from embarrassment and the heat of the oven, Nan was hastily removing the cake.

"She's an old lady who got caught in the shower," the girl explained nervously. "Did Aunt Ellen come, Helena?"

"No, she didn't," snapped Helena.

"I've waited in that drafty depot until I am nearly sick. I suppose you made that chicken broth the way mother says she used to like it?"

"Yes, and the little honey hearts too."

"You've got the spare room all ready, I dare say?"

"Yes. It's clean, and I lit the fire half an hour ago."

"Such a lot of trouble and expense to go to for a foolish old woman," grumbled Miss Burnet. "Mother says she always had as little sense as the law allows. But that doesn't alter the fact that she is coming to spend her few remaining years with us and that she has \$50,000 to leave. I suppose she will land here tomorrow, and we'll have this bother all over again. Well, I'll spend \$100 on mourning for her when I inherit it!"

"She will never leave me anything," averred Nancy Goodwin. "My mother did not marry to please her, and Aunt Ellen never forgave her. But—briskly butting some fresh toast—"if she ever were to remember me I'd—"

"Go to college, I presume!" ended Helena contemptuously.

"Yes, that I would!" rejoined Nan resolutely. "There's no hope of that!" she sighed. "Now, try to eat a few mouthfuls of this and drink your tea."

Helena stared from her cousin to the strange guest and back again.

"Do you mean to say you've gone out of your head, wasting good food on a tramp?" she shrieked.

"Hush!" begged Nan, trembling with mortification. "You will hurt her feelings!"

"Feelings, indeed!" She glared at the stranger. "The rain is over now. She can go about her business."

Nan stood before her cousin.

"She is sick and cold. She can't go out of the house tonight. Let her sleep in my bed. I'll make-up a shake down on the cot." Then, hurriedly, as she saw angry refusal in the other's eyes, "Don't make me leave you if you value my work!"

"What do you mean?"

"Only that Mrs. Hunter across the street has offered me \$10 a week as housekeeper in her home. I would have no more labor there than here, where I am paid nothing, and I shall accept her offer today if you make me turn this poor old creature out!"

"Well, I declare!" ejaculated Miss Burnet. But, aware that Nan was quite capable of doing what she threatened, she made a tempestuous exit from the kitchen. Overcoming her apologetic objections, Nan assisted the old woman up the stairs. On the second floor they passed a bright room, hung with rosy chintzes, with a jolly fire rolicking in the grate.

"I wish I might take you in there," she whispered. "But that is intended for Mrs. Franklin, who is coming to stay here. You shall have her chicken broth, though," said the girl determinedly. "She can't need any more than you do."

And when she had tucked the feeble body into her own narrow bed she brought the chicken broth. But that night when the dishes were washed the girl climbed to her room she found her protégée very ill. She was feverish, and the pain in her side was worse. Occasionally she lapsed into delirium. Nan was frightened, and as the woman grew worse she sped down the stairs and across the street for Dr. Meeker.

"Pneumonia," he said. "Exposure, eh? I thought so. Practically hopeless. What's that, eh? You want a lawyer?" He bent to listen. "Poor soul, what have you to will?"

"John Meeker," she panted, "don't you know me?"

"I'm young Dr. Meeker. John Meeker is my father. I'm trying to be as good a man. If I can build up his practice that had fallen off I hope to make a home for this little girl here."

The old woman smiled and nodded.

"You'll get me a lawyer maybe if you know that I am Ellen Franklin. No, don't call the others. Helena is like her mother, cold and selfish. I heard her for myself today."

The physician did what he could and hastened away. His experienced eye told him she had been ill several days and that the exposure of the afternoon was hastening the climax. The lawyer returned with him, and the household was aroused. The old woman, chucked, exhausted, but triumphant, as she fell back after signing the will.

"I've left Helena a hundred dollars to buy that mourning she was so set

on," she whispered. "You can get your learning while he's making the home for you. 'Twas the fine fellow his father was, I mind well."

And not all the wrath or lamentations of Helena Burnet and her mother availed to impeach the validity of the will, which left the property of Ellen Franklin to Nancy Goodwin.

"I shan't hold you to your promise now, dear," Charlie Meeker said when he came to see the girl off to the university. "You are an heiress now. Everything is different."

"That isn't different," she replied, with emphasis. "You loved me when I was a common drudge. You mustn't stop loving me now that I am going to fit myself to be a wife of whom you may be proud."

He smiled down at her. "My dear, my dear," he said, "a prince might be proud of you. Here's the train."

### Counterfeiters and Weddings.

The marriage of convenience is an institution among criminals, at least in England. In a recent case in London a detective testified that it was common for counterfeiters to marry women solely for the purpose of passing bad coins on the public. These marriages are not contracted from any feelings of mutual attraction or even trade partnership, but in the belief that juries have a reluctance in convicting wives.

### PRESIDENT HITS A LIAR

French Special Who "Faked" an Interview Is Given a Good Hot Roast.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 14.—The Petit Parisien, a paper published at Paris, printed an alleged interview with President Roosevelt written by its special correspondent, Gaston Richard, in which President Roosevelt was made to say that he had felt forced to make peace between Russia and Japan, and practically that he had argued the Japanese envoys into accepting peace without indemnity, the Japanese hoping to the last that Russia would weaken.

Under date of Oyster Bay, L. I., Sept. 13, president's secretary, Loch, under direction of the president has written a letter to Richard in which that gentleman is told that his report in "an absolute fabrication" and that his conduct is thoroughly dishonorable; that he understood thoroughly that he could have no interview with the president; that the president listened to Richard's account of his experiences with the Japanese and Russians, and talked to him of the deeds of Napoleon and other generals, but that the president had no conversation with Richard about the Russo-Japanese peace terms, and that Richard's alleged interview is false in every particular; that he obtained access to the president under false pretenses, and that his conduct was generally and particularly highly dishonorable.

### LODGE FOR SUBSIDIES

Says New England Should Have Protection for Her Shipping Industry.

Penbody, Mass., Sept. 14.—A speech by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge strongly advocating subsidies as the best method of reviving New England shipping and opening new markets of trade, was the feature of a dinner held by the Essex club at the town hall.

"All industries," the senator said, "have been protected except the ship owners. While he has been allowed to import his materials free, he has been given only the coastwise trade."

Lodge said that he formerly believed that it was impossible to give subsidies, owing largely to the prejudice against them. Since the hearings by the special committee he had reached the conclusion that the other remedy, discriminating duties, would be just as impracticable because it would entail the abrogation of thirty treaties and would be most expensive.

### Hosiery Makers Organize.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Representatives of twenty-two hosiery manufacturers in the states of Ohio, Michigan, Minnesota, Illinois and Wisconsin met here and formed an organization, Perry Starkweather, of Minneapolis, was elected president, and W. L. Hixon, of Mankato, Minn., secretary-treasurer. The avowed purpose of the association is to regulate freight rates and discounts.

### Three Young Men Killed.

Cortland, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Three young civil engineers in the employ of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad were killed by a work train while returning to Cortland on a handcar. They were J. M. Rowe, of Binghamton, N. Y.; H. O. Biesecker, of Lestershire, N. Y., and J. R. Funk, of Binghamton.

### Home for Methodist Preachers.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 14.—Daniel Francis, retired capitalist of this city, has made a gift of \$300,000 to the Des Moines conference of Methodist Episcopal churches for founding a home for superannuated preachers here if the conference will raise a like sum within five years. The offer has been accepted.

### NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

A movement is on foot to give President Roosevelt a cordial popular reception on his return to Washington Sept. 30 from his summer home at Oyster Bay.

Dan Patch failed at Indianapolis to lower his own and world's pacing record of 1:56 1/4, requiring 2:00 1/2 to do the mile.

Rene Goblet, ex-president of the council of ministers of France, is dead at Paris of acute asthma. He was born in 1823.



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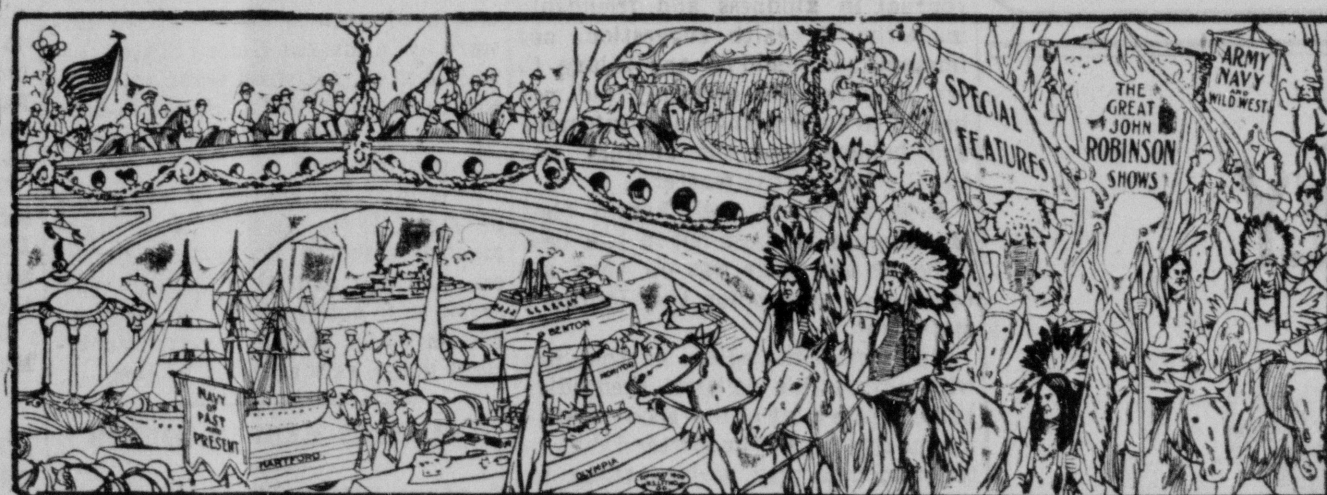
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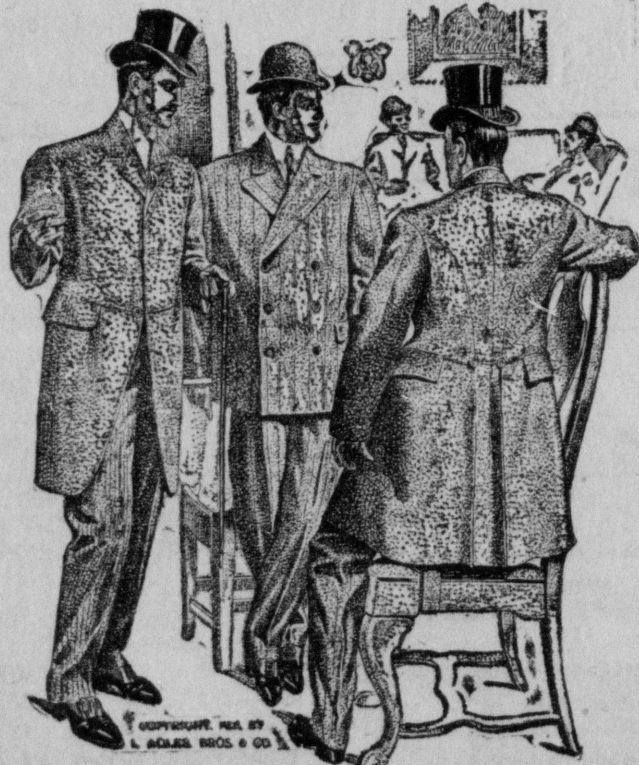
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#### POLITICAL.

The Sun appears a bit cloudy politically speaking; in answer to a recent editorial in THE TELEGRAPH our esteemed neighbor has this among other suggestions in the same line, which we copy:

"Ye gods, in what strange groove does the master mind of the Telegraph run? Only a few short days ago this same paper was frantically advising Governor Deneen to turn his back upon Yates—was appealing to him to break all promises to Yates if any promises had been made—was beseeching him to withhold his support from Yates in the senatorial contest though now the Telegraph admits that Yates made Deneen governor. The Telegraph rehabilitated these appeals with long editorials from the Chicago Chronicle. But what can honorable voters think of such a course as this upon the part of a newspaper that aspires to the local leadership of a great political party?"

We humbly beg the Sun's pardon but our neighbor is sadly in error—we never intentionally advised Deneen to "turn his back on Yates." If we ever wrote a line which can be construed as a suggestion that Deneen should go back on Yates we did not so intend it, and we now take it all back. As Deneen would pay not the slightest attention to our advice in that behalf we would be very foolish to offer him any sort of suggestion of the kind.

The Sun appears to be very much more worried as to Deneen's attitude towards Yates than is THE TELEGRAPH. In fact the Sun is quite interested, apparently, in republican politics. And owing to the demoralized condition of our own political party we can well understand the cause of its sympathy.

After considerable mild speculations as to marvelous things to be accomplished by that great and only to-be-feared political leader Billy Lorimer, of Chicago, the Sun drops down to local politics; stating that the "DIXON TELEGRAPH and Amboy Journal" had made the false charge that "Hughes was too ill" to again fill the senate chair; and, besides, that he had business of his own.

We submit in all fairness this does not properly place the position of THE TELEGRAPH in that contest. We copied from the Amboy Journal an editorial that stated that Mr. Hughes would not be a candidate for re-election on account of ill health; but as soon as we learned that his friends objected to the ill health suggestion we at an early day corrected the statement copied from the Amboy Journal. We were quite well posted that Mr. Hughes' health was considered all right, and pronounced it unfair to thus discourage his friends, by reporting that the senator was "under the weather," in any shape. We supposed that the Amboy Journal in kindness and friendship made the ill health suggestion, not imagining it would do any injury to Mr. Hughes. We certainly did not intend to do Mr. Hughes an injustice and believe that the Journal was equally fair in that matter.

It is, we believe, well known that Mr. Hughes had been not in the best of health and there was on that account good reason for the Journal's statement. However, if the editor of the Sun will suppress his political prejudice and exercise a bit of his good reasoning faculty he will understand that it is not such a very serious thing to charge a man with being in poor health. The man himself can so easily refute such a charge. Any politician, Mr. Hughes as well as others, can easily demonstrate that he is in sufficient health to run for an office. That is easy.

#### Farewell Reception.

The Thursday Reading Circle will give a farewell reception to Mesdames Horsemann and Krinbill, who will soon leave for new homes in the west, next Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Ackert.

—Dr. W. Y. Herrick is welcomed by the medical fraternity to our city. He comes highly recommended from his former home in Lytton, Ia., and brings with him a wife and one child. Dr. Herrick's office is opposite the Y. M. C. A.

#### Will Entertain.

Mrs. A. H. Tillson and Mrs. E. N. Howell will give an "at home" Friday and Saturday.

#### Will Give a Luncheon.

Invitations are out for a luncheon and card party to be given tomorrow by Mrs. Ed. Benjamin and Mrs. R. W. Thompson.

### WAS STORY FROM DICKENS

The Play at Dixon Opera House Last Night Pleased All.

Harry Jackson's new play, "What Women Will Do," was presented at the Dixon Opera House last evening before a good sized audience and met a warm reception. The play could hardly be called a dramatization of Dickens great novel, "David Copperfield," for there was so much new material in it; yet it retained all the charm of the novel with the same quaint and familiar characters and scenes which lend themselves so admirably to the stage artist's skill.

There were no dubs in the caste, the characters being skillfully represented and the parts carried with an intelligent interpretation of the author's conception of the story. Especially pretty was the scene of the church and church yard where the meeting of the rivals occurred and the culmination of "what women will do" was brought about. There was much of humor to temper the harsh tragedy of the life story depicted. The audience had reason to thank Manager Eastman for furnishing a very pleasant evening's entertainment.

### CRIPPLED CHILDREN FUND

Treasurer Makes Report Showing All Expenses Met.

Mrs. Howard Johnson, treasurer for the crippled children fund, submits her report of the distribution of the money donations to cover the expenses of their outing in Dixon. The report shows a balance of \$3.52 on hand after all expenses are paid and is in detail as follows:

| RECEIPTS:               |          |
|-------------------------|----------|
| By Cash                 | \$25 00  |
| " " Kendall Club        | 5 00     |
| " " C. H. Hughes        | 4 00     |
| " " Thomas Young        | 2 00     |
| " " Dr. A. L. Miller    | 1 00     |
| " " Rodney Ayers        | 7 00     |
| " " M. E. Church        | 2 30     |
| " " Christian Church    | 2 41     |
| " " St. Luke's          | 1 80     |
| " " Presbyterian Church | 1 50     |
| " " Catholic            | 1 50     |
| " " Peoples             | 1 50     |
| " " Lutheran            | 1 00     |
| " " Evangelical         | 40       |
| " " Woosung             | 1 65     |
| " " Sugar Grove         | 1 00     |
| " " Sale of Lumber      | 2 50     |
|                         | \$ 60 06 |

| DISBURSEMENTS:           |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| To Cash                  | \$16 50  |
| " " Mrs. Edmund's help   | 15 00    |
| " " Wiener, board        | 6 08     |
| " " E. C. Cook, Chicago, | 6 38     |
| " " Tent rent            | 12 58    |
| " " Alex. Lumber Co.     |          |
| " " For incidentals      |          |
|                          | \$ 56 54 |

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### SUES THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL

Government Enforces Law Regulating Shipment of Cattle.

Action by the government officials against railroad corporations in connection with the handling of consignments of cattle is being carried forward by Assistant United States District Attorney Elwood Godman. Attorney Godman filed an action in debt against the Illinois Central Railroad Company for \$500.

It is charged that W. J. Kennedy of Logan, Iowa, shipped a consignment of cattle to Rosenbaum Brothers, Chicago, and that enroute the cattle were not unloaded, fed, watered and rested for five hours every twenty-eight hours, as is provided by law.

### TEACHERS MEET IN CHURCH

Northern Illinois Association Will Convene in Methodist Church.

The western section of the Northern Illinois Teachers association, which convenes in this city in October, has been granted the use of the Methodist church for its sessions. There are about 800 delegates to this convention, and as the church will seat 1,200 people there will be ample room for the visitors at the meetings. The association held its meetings in this same church when it met here a few years ago and Dixon people found much of interest in attending the sessions.

### Miss Plummer Entertains.

Miss Florence Plummer entertained a party of friends with a dinner last evening at the Plummer cottage. Those present were Misses Florence Baker, Chicago, and Eudora Downing; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Downing; Messrs. Frank Philpott, Hawley Wilbur and George Downing.

### Evangelical Missions.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Evangelical church will have an important meeting Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the church at which all members are requested to be present.

### BOARD HAD AN OUTING

County Officials Enjoyed Boatripe and a Supper at the Thompson Cottage.

### PLEASANT FEATURE OF MEETING

Now Ready to Resume the Grind of Regular Work.

The Lee county board of supervisors were certainly well taken care of yesterday afternoon by the county officials on their outing at Thompson's cottage.

The trip up the river on the steamer, City of Dixon, was a delightful one. To many of the members of the board yesterday's trip up Rock river was their first. The beautiful scenery, the fields of corn and the possibilities that the future may bring forth, the various locations for summer homes, were the leading topics of conversation on the upward trip.

### SUPPER WAS SUMPTUOUS.

The supper that was served at the cottage was sumptuous, everything that a hungry man could wish for was on hand. Circuit Clerk W. B. McMahon and Assistant State's Attorney Harry Edwards drove to the cottage and had the preliminaries all complete when the City of Dixon arrived at the landing. Edward Hooker of the Owl restaurant was head cook. He was ably assisted by County Clerk Thompson, County Treasurer Merriman, Circuit Clerk McMahon, Attorney Edwards and City Treasurer Fred Mead.

The beefsteak was prepared over a large fire in the woods near the cottage. The steak was broiled to a finish, and every one pronounced it the best article they had ever eaten. There were no toasts. There was nothing formal about that supper. Every one was told to help themselves, and they did.

It took the party about one hour to dispose of that supper, and at that there was no time wasted. Every body ate like harvest hands. The only timid ones were the three newspaper men.

### PLACE IDEAL.

The cottage with its natural surroundings is a romantic and ideal place. It is an inviting place to spend an outing. It stands on the top of the bluff, from which can be seen some of the most beautiful scenery in the state of Illinois. Windy paths lead off into the woods in several directions. Comfortable seats are located in various places about the surrounding wood. The cottage is one of Dixon's most popular summer resorts, and many of her citizens spend from two to three weeks there every season.

### HOMEWARD BOUND.

The trip back to Dixon was great. The steamer pulled from the landing just as the shades of night were enveloping the earth, and the moon was already high in the eastern skies.

The air was not too cool, just right for an evening's boatripe. The proud little steamer seemed to realize that on her deck were some of Lee county's most distinguished citizens, and she plowed her way through the placid waters of grand old Rock River like the gondolas of ancient Venice.

The time was devoted in singing songs. Supervisors Kirby, Jones, Dunn, Judge Scott, Treasurer Mead, and Deputy Sheriff McGowan were the star performers.

There were specialties by Scott, McGuirk, Jones and Dunn.

### SUPERVISORS PRESENT.

The following supervisors were present: W. H. Edward, James Kirby, M. A. Crawford, A. T. Tourtellott, Hugh McGuirk, John M. Trostle, E. C. Parsons, F. L. Childs, S. L. Shaw, Frank Keller, W. C. Jones, James P. Dunn, John Wagner, J. H. Hugett, Person Cheney, John McCleary, William Anderson, N. A. Cortright and E. O. Lamb. The county officials were: Judge Robt. H. Scott, County Clerk W. C. Thompson, Circuit Clerk W. B. McMahon, Sheriff C. W. Wohnke, Deputy Sheriff M. J. McGowan, Assistant States Attorney Harry Edwards and Clyde Wicher, superintendent of the poor farm. Press representatives: Fred Mead, Dixon Sun. Editor Fred Palmer, Star. John H. Byers, TELEGRAPH. Invited guests were: John M. Sterling and James Dexter, Newton, Kans., a guest of Supervisor Tourtellott; and Thomas Phillips, member of the board of review.

—John Cupp of Franklin Grove was in Dixon Wednesday.

—S. E. Johnson and wife returned Wednesday from Aurora.

—Samuel Arraves and family were here from Compton Wednesday.

—Mrs. A. F. Moore went to Chicago today to meet her mother who will return to Dixon with her.

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to buy your fuel and when you want good coal or dry wood I would be pleased to serve you. Dry Wood \$5 per cord.

are now needed, by the housewife. We carry the very best makes. Keep the food sweet and untainted with the the smallest possible quantity of ice. Don't fail to get our prices.

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## School Started Sept. 4.

PARENTS, you have provided your children with books, pencils, etc., but—have you thought of their most important sense, the eyes? Maybe that dull child has poor and painful vision? Cure for the eyes while they are young. Procrastination may mean the loss of this most valuable sense. Act now.

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Amboy, Oct. 4.  
Franklin Grove, Oct. 5.

## DEMENT-TOWN DOINGS

**Winters Arrests Rollins.**  
Officer "Jack" Winters and Lem Rollins had some difficulty over a can of "booze" in Dement-town last night before the latter was arrested. In the resulting lively scrap Rollins received a battered head and spent the night in jail. The matter was up before Justice Leech this afternoon.

If you are suffering with hay fever you can obtain immediate relief without a change of climate by using the Globe Vapo-Medicator. I know from my own experience having had hay fever for 22 years. The last two seasons I have used the Medicator and been practically free from it. Come and see it demonstrated. For sale at DEMENTTOWN PHARMACY.

## NEWS OF THE RAILWAYS

**New Sleepers for Northwestern: Illinois Central Pays Fire Losses.**

Thirty new Pullman sleepers will be put in service on the Northwestern road today. Each contains three double state rooms. Twenty of the new cars will be put in the Overland service between Chicago and San Francisco, and ten into to Chicago-Portland service. The cars cost \$30,000 each.

The Illinois Central has adjusted the claims of shippers for losses in the fire of the docks at New Orleans last winter. The total paid to shippers for losses was \$800,000, and in addition to this the road lost \$2,500,000 worth of property, making its total losses \$3,300,000. The Illinois Central carries its own insurance, so that the entire loss falls on the company.

## Studying Landscape Gardening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hey, who live just north of the city, left Saturday for a visit in McHenry county and went from there to Lake Geneva where they studied the beautiful private grounds for the purpose of gaining ideas for the improvement of their own home. Mrs. Hey went from there to Chicago to visit her sister until Saturday while Mr. Hey went to Rockford to continue his inspection of landscape gardening. He arrived home last night and states that he gained many new ideas. Crops, he said, are looking fine in the sections through which he went and the fruit men are doing well.

## PINE CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. King of Chicago visited the past week at the Mrs. E. H. Nettz home.

Samuel Myers, who recently returned from a trip to Nebraska, speaks in glowing terms of the west.

Mrs. J. B. Werren of Grand Detour was a recent visitor here.

Mrs. Sarah A. Drenner of Polo was a visitor at Pennsylvannia Corners the past week.

Geo. Stauffer and family were Dixon callers Saturday.

H. W. Coursey of Polo was a recent caller here.

Emory I. Neff, county superintendent of schools passed through here Friday.

Zachariah Newcomer was a Dixon caller Saturday.

Henry Slosser and wife of Dixon passed through here Sunday.

S. B. Nettz is hauling lumber preparatory to building a barn.

F. W. Bovey and wife visited Friday at the O. Wernick home near Dixon.

Wm. Bovey entered the North Dixon high school at the beginning of the term.

Harry Rhodes is welding the birch at the Fairview school. Miss O. Rowe of Polo at the Antoine, Miss Anna Barnhizer at Highland and Miss Coursey of Polo at La Grange.

## Cure for Hay Fever.

A positive hay fever cure, said a man who has been around the world, is for the one afflicted to go without breakfast for forty days prior to the time the fever generally starts and that during the forty days meat should not be eaten more than once each day. A gentleman tried the remedy and it cured him. A friend of the man who was cured was advised in the same manner, but he said he would like to try the treatment but he would much rather have the hay fever and go to some resort and have a good time rather than to go without his breakfast for forty days.

## Milwaukee Train Tomorrow

The train for Milwaukee to accommodate those who will go to see The Broncho race tomorrow will leave Dixon at 6:16 over the Northwestern and will arrive in Milwaukee at 11 a. m. The fare will be \$4.50 for the round trip.

—Harry Edwards went to Amboy today on business.

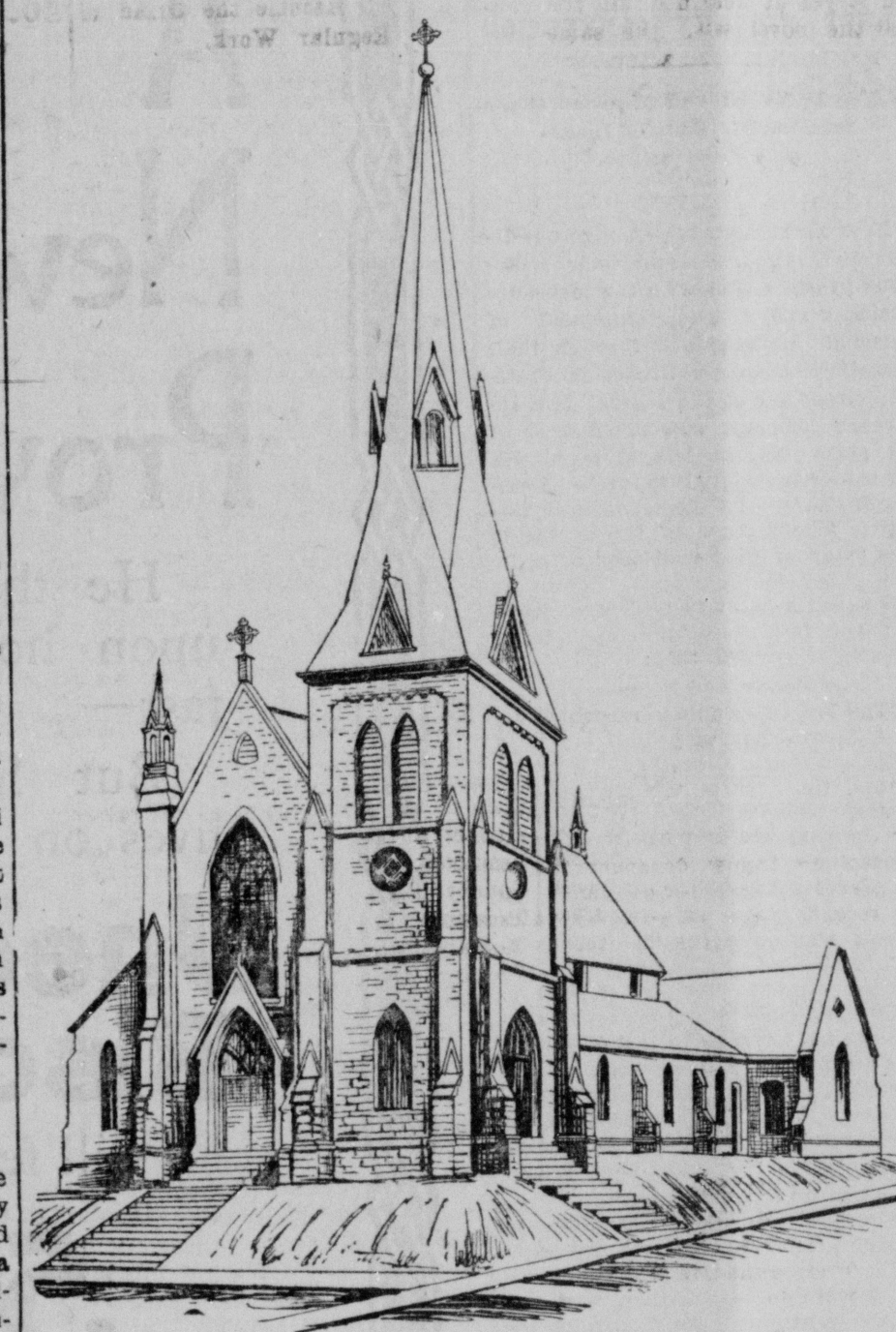
—There will be a regular meeting of the W. C. O. F. this evening.

Rubber Gloves for house cleaning—85c pair.

Walgreen-Davis Co.

## St. Luke's Church to Be Opened Sunday

Many Improvements Made in Edifice During Last Three Months—Everything Will Be in Readiness.



During the last three months workmen have been busily engaged in repairing the St. Luke's Episcopal church, and now the edifice is practically in readiness for the first service which will be held on Sunday morning, September 17. Nothing has been overlooked in the general overhauling of the building. The roof and steeple have been reshingled; the latter is painted a fitting gray color. Window lights have been replaced where necessary and the cornices repaired. Consequently, the exterior of the church has been made very attractive. But the work has not been stopped at the outside of the edifice, for the decorators have been employed on the inside of the building. Accordingly, when stepping within the church, one is struck with

the beautiful harmony which prevails throughout the whole coloring. The architecture of the Episcopal church lends itself to a harmonizing of colors which is very pleasing to the eye. The outlines of the pillars and the side walls frescoed in a light brown and terra cotta color. The choir loft and pulpit have been revarnished, giving the whole interior a freshened look. A new carpet has been purchased for the aisles which will be laid before Sunday.

## A SEPTEMBER MATING

Clarence Reid and Miss Jessie Waters Married and Are Taking Wisconsin Trip.

## HAPPY EVENT OCCURRED TODAY

Popular Young Couple United by Dr. Cryor at Parsonage.

The Presbyterian parsonage on the North side, 702 North Crawford avenue, was the scene of a quiet and happy wedding at 8:30 o'clock this morning when Clarence P. Reid and Miss Jessie M. Waters were united in marriage by Dr. S. S. Cryor. Accompanying the bride and groom were Mrs. M. J. Reid, mother of the groom, and Mrs. Elizabeth Waters, mother of the bride.

At the close of the ceremony the bridal party took a carriage for the Illinois Central depot to take the 9:37 train. Mr. and Mrs. Reid will be gone for ten days on a wedding trip in Wisconsin and will then return to housekeeping on the south side. The groom is the trusted stenographer of the F. E. Stiteley Co. and the bride is one of the fairest and sweetest of Dixon's fair daughters. Their many friends wish for them a pleasant wedding trip and a happy wedded life.

—Dr. Stetler of Pawpaw is calling on Dixon friends today.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Beckmire of Alma, Wis., left this morning after a few days' visit with relatives in this city.

Never again at factory prices. Hobart M. Cable pianos. Easy terms. Theo. J. Miller's factory price piano sale closes Saturday evening at 10 o'clock.

Rexall Cherry Juice Cough Syrup. Pleasant to take. Walgreen-Davis Co.

## TOMORROW CIRCUS DAY

Little Romance Connected with Life of Only Woman Driver of Band Wagon.

## DRIVES SIX SPIRITED HORSES

Florence Knapp Prominent Figure in the Street Parade Tomorrow.

A feature of the daily free street parade to be given by John Robinson's circus here tomorrow, is Miss Florence Knapp, who drives six high-spirited horses, hauling one of the band wagons. Miss Knapp, it will be remembered, left her New York home some six years ago because Charles Worthington, a wealthy ranchman, broke off the engagement to marry her. She passed four years and supported herself as a workman in Ohio but just where she refuses to tell. The last two years of the six, she passed as a man by the name of James McIntosh and was with Robinson's circus driving a six-horse team. Her brother, Frank Knapp, of Buffalo, visited Robinson's circus at Dunkirk, N. Y., and saw in James McIntosh his long-lost sister. She confessed to him but refused to leave the circus. Governor Robinson, owner of the show, made her queen of the ballet in the big first part of the circus, and directed that she drive six horses in the street parade.

The other day at Wilmington, O., Miss Knapp had bad luck. Her horses became unmanageable and the band wagon was dashed into a bridge. It upset and the musicians were spilled into the ditch.

One's arm, Joe Madra, of Terre Haute, was broken and all badly bruised; their instruments were dented, and flattened like pancakes. The musicians requested Miss Knapp's removal as driver. Governor Robinson refused, saying he could get plenty of musicians, but there is only one woman driver in the world, and that is Miss Florence Knapp.

## WILL UNLOAD ON NORTH SIDE.

John Robinson's circus which shows here tomorrow will unload on the north side. The circus train will reach Dixon between five and six o'clock. There are fifty-seven cars. The exhibition will be given at Black Hawk Park.

## KNIGHTS PICNICKING

Fraternal Order Enjoy Dinner Spread Under Trees Near Assembly Auditorium

## PITCH QUOITS DURING MORNING

Company Entertained by John E. Moyer's Phonograph.

This morning Knights of the Globe drove in from Harmon, Nelson, Ohio Station and they came up from Sterling on the interurban to the annual picnic at the Assembly grounds. The threatening weather kept many from coming who had planned to do so. Consequently, about sixty people spread their dinner on the grass near the assembly auditorium. However, the spirit of the crowd was not dampened by the smallness of the attendance; and the dinner was thoroughly enjoyed by all. This morning the Knights tested each other's skill in the well-tried sport of throwing quoits. Besides the out door exercises, the picnickers enjoyed many selections rendered by an Edison Phonograph under the skillful management of John E. Moyer. This morning Hon. V. H. Bovey arrived at the assembly grounds, and took part on the program this afternoon. The program was opened at 2 o'clock by an invocation by Rev. William Craven. As all the people were present who had been asked to take part on the program; the afternoon entertainment was carried out as previously published.

## TO NUMBER RURAL MAIL BOXES

Will Be Numbered Consecutively and Painted by the Government.

Instructions will be issued to postmasters within a short time to assign to rural mail boxes entitled to service consecutive numbers, beginning with the first box reached by the carrier after leaving the post office, and a new box erected subsequent to the original numbering will be assigned the next consecutive number in use on the particular route. Boxes on newly established routes will not be numbered until sixty days after the commencement of the service, in order that ample time may be allowed for all prospective patrons to secure boxes.

The boxes are also to be painted green, as city boxes recently have been. Carriers will be given the painting job at so much per box.

—Frank Philpott has returned from a trip through Minnesota.

# SCHOOL SHOES!

A Good Solid Shoe for Boys at . . . \$1.25  
A Good Solid Shoe, Black or Tan for Girls, regular sizes 8 1-2 to 2, at . . . 98c

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## Dead Sure

Cockroach and Bed Bug Killer 25c bottle. No questions asked.

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DRUGS & BOOKS.

## MAKE ROOMS PLEASING AURORA ELKS ARE HERE

Pictures Are Hung at High School Adding Attractiveness to Building.

## FOOTBALL IS A POPULAR SPORT PLAY PAWPAW FOR \$125 PURSE

Parents Obligated to Give Backing to Teams Instead of School.

This morning during the opening period at the South Dixon high school the Rev. Boon, representative of the colored institute at Springfield, Ill., told about the work among the colored people, speaking of the different branches of education taken up by the school.

The second week of school is going along very smoothly and the students are becoming adjusted to their work. Several of the rooms are being beautified by the hanging of pictures. This morning a very pretty sketch of the Alps was hung in Miss McLaughlin's room. This year the seniors in the high school are seated in Miss Porter's room instead of in Mr. Matthews room like last year.

The eight period plan for the high school work is still being carried out. It has been found necessary to continue the eight period plan, for there are thirty-eight recitations to be held during the day and with the present accommodations there would be only thirty-five chances for recitation under the old regime of last year.

BOYS PRACTICE FOOTBALL.  
With the advent of the fall weather the minds of the school boys have turned toward the absorbing plans for football. Last night about fifteen of the fleetest and quickest members of the Dixon high school met at Athletic park for football practice. It was thought that the boys would elect a captain and manager, but they did not get to that; accordingly, it is probable that they will elect their leaders in the course of the week. Fred Mead will, in all probability, act as coach for the south side team, as the boys are desirous that he will coach them.

WORK-OUT ON NORTH SIDE.  
At the North Dixon high school a squad of fifteen candidates, under the direction of Claude F. Price, the former high school captain and half back, are endeavoring to obtain positions on the regular team. Last year, owing to the lack of material, there was no football team at the north side institution, but this difficulty has been overcome by the entrance of several players from outside schools. Judging from present status there will be a light, though speedy and effective, team on the north shore for the coming year.

PARENTS TO BACK TEAMS.  
It seems that the parents of the players in the several elevens will be called upon to back the teams instead of the schools giving the authority. On account of the bad luck which has been attendant upon the several branches of scholastic sports in Dixon, the school board will, in all probability, hesitate to add their authority to any eleven made up from the high schools. Consequently, the parents will be called upon, in some degree, to sanction the efforts of the high school elevens instead of the several school authorities.

Do it now. Select your piano today and save your winter's coal bill. The Theo. J. Miller factory price piano sale closes Saturday evening at 10 o'clock.





### Prompt, Easy Recovery.

The greatest thing in the world—A Mother's Love! The love she lavishes on her children; the love her child should have for her; without this love she could not endure the agonies incident to childbirth; appreciative of this love, Mother's Friend was devised to lessen the pain and anguish of childbirth, that her love might not be strained to the breaking point. Mother's Friend does all this and more—it enables the fond mother to speedily recuperate from the labors of maternity, enables her to regain her lost strength, preserves her youthful lines of beauty, and makes pregnancy her crowning joy without any thorns to mar it.

### Mother's Friend

is applied externally, is most harmless in its consistency, most happy in its results, and is of such merit that no case of labor should be conducted without its use. It is a liniment for massage of the abdominal muscles during pregnancy, and by its use their tonicity and power of contraction is greatly enhanced, enabling them to sustain the great strain brought to bear on them at this time. It is Mother's Friend. The name should be enough to recommend it to all who expect to be mothers.

Send for free book containing information of priceless value to all expectant mothers.

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All old-time cough syrups were designed to soothe throat, lung and bronchial affections without due regard for the stomach and bowels, hence most of them produce constipation. Bee's, the original Laxative Honey and Tar, gently moves the bowels and cures all coughs, colds, croup, etc. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar is the original Laxative Cough Syrup. Look for the letter B in red on every package. Rowland Bros.

### A NEW JERSEY EDITOR'S TESTIMONIAL.

M. T. Lynch, Editor of the Phillipsburg, N. J., Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for my son and child in my family but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it." Rowland Bros.

### BEST FOR CHILDREN.

Mothers, be careful of the health of your children. Look out for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Contains no opiates. Sold by Row and Bros.

Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly adapted for chronic throat troubles and will positively cure bronchitis, hoarseness and all bronchial diseases. Its use substitutes. Rowland Bros.

One dose of Pileules taken at bedtime will entirely relieve the most obstinate case of hemorrhoids before morning. Pileules is a certain cure for all kidney and bladder troubles. Rowland Bros.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poison from the blood. Rowland Bros.

The most wonderful cure for piles is Manzan, put up in collapsible tubes with nozzle attached. It reaches the spot, stops pain instantly, and cures all kinds of blind, bleeding, itching or protruding piles. Rowland Bros.

When planning a business or pleasure trip from Chicago to Buffalo, New York, Boston or any other Eastern point, you should investigate the satisfactory service afforded by any of the three Express Trains operated by the Nickel Plate Road. Colored porters are in charge of coaches, whose duties are to look after the comfort of passengers while enroute. Special attention shown ladies and children, as well as elderly people, traveling alone. No excess fare charged on any train on the Nickel Plate Road. American Club Meals, from 35 cents to \$1, served in Nickel Plate dining cars. One trial will result to your satisfaction. All trains leave from La Salle Street Station—only Depot in Chicago on the Elevated Railroad Loop. Call on or address, John Y. Calahan, General Agent, 113 Adams St., Room 298, Chicago.

You can apply Manzan inside, right where the pain is. It is put up in collapsible tubes with nozzle attached for introducing it. Manzan stops pain instantly and cures all kinds of blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Rowland Bros.

### DOCTORS COULD NOT HELP HER

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner of Shelton, Wash., "and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure." Rowland Bowland.

## CONDITIONS OF THE ARMISTICE

Text of the Protocol That Was Signed by the Envoys at Portsmouth.

### MUCH TUMULT AT YOKOHAMA

Police Are the Objects of the Violence of the Mob.

Baron Komura Said to Have a Case of Typhoid Fever—Doctors Disagree, However—Condition Is Favorable.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 14.—Advices from Tokio state that incendiary postcards are being received at the Tokio foreign office threatening that Baron Komura will be assassinated on his return from the United States.

London, Sept. 14.—The Japanese legation last evening gave out the text of the Russo-Japanese armistice protocol as follows:

"I. A certain distance as a zone of demarcation shall be fixed between the fronts of the armies of the two powers in Manchuria, as well as in the region of Tumen river, Korea.

"II. The naval force of one of the belligerents shall not bombard territory belonging to or occupied by the other.

"III. Maritime captures will not be suspended by the armistice.

"IV. During the term of the armistice new reinforcements shall not be dispatched to the theater of war. Those which are already on their way there shall not be dispatched north of Mukden on the part of Japan or south of Harbin on the part of Russia.

"V. The commanders of the armies and fleets of the two powers shall determine in common accord the conditions of the armistice in conformity with the provisions above enumerated.

"VI. The two governments shall order their commanders immediately after the signature of the treaty of peace to put the protocol into execution."

The protocol was signed by de Witte, Baron Rosen, Baron Komura and M. Takahira.

### BLOODY RIOT AT YOKOHAMA

Mob Numbers 5,500 and Seems to Have Been Organized.

Tokio, Sept. 14.—Advices from Yokohama say that a riot occurred there shortly after 12 o'clock Tuesday night. The mob was divided into two bodies numbering about 5,500, mostly coolies, boatmen and outcasts. Eight police boxes were demolished and burned. The mob directed its attack against three objects: The police stations, the residences of the custom officials and the large commercial houses. Four hundred troops were sent from Tokio on a special train a little before dawn, and soldiers are now guarding the consulates, the warehouses containing explosives and the oil tanks.

The governor of the prefecture and the mayor of Yokohama have issued proclamations instructing the people to place confidence in the ability of the authorities to restore order. Six hundred Russian prisoners of war from Karafuto who were staying at the different hotels have been placed under a special guard. During the riot the police used drawn swords, while the mob was armed with pistols and swordsticks. The casualties among the police were three severely wounded and thirty-seven slightly injured.

The mob set fire to the police boxes by soaking hats in oil, firing them and throwing them at the object of attack. Quiet has apparently been restored. Troops are now guarding the foreign consulates, churches, convents and hotels, and cavalry is patrolling the streets. One hundred and nineteen arrests have been made. It is understood that the riot was incited by agitators from Tokio. Inflammatory placards were posted in the slums Tuesday and were torn down by the police.

The mob used many short iron bars, and had kerosene ready, showing that there was some organization. It had threatened to burn all the police boxes, which threat was forestalled by the precautions of the troops. No anti-foreign sentiment exists, and there is a growing feeling in business circles that the rioting is senseless and mischievous and must be strongly suppressed.

### KATSURA MAKES A SPEECH

Urges Local Governors to Guide the National Energy.

Tokio, Sept. 14.—In a speech before the local governors Premier Katsura said: "The peace negotiations brought about through the good offices of President Roosevelt have been concluded. During the twenty months of hostilities the war was successfully carried out with a united national support. Your earnest and efficient efforts in guiding the people of your respective localities are fully recognized. Now that peace has been restored your further efforts are desirable in dealing with post-bellum measures so as to afford full play to the enterprising energy possessed by the nation in so remarkable degree.

"The national energy must be so guided as to realize an expansion and

development commensurate with the extent of its victories. It is highly regrettable that disturbances have occurred in the capital, but we hope that your localities will remain at peace. In enforcing restrictive measures over the press, promulgated by an urgency ordinance, you are required to be guided by moderation. We hope that under your experienced guidance the nation will fully realize the fruits of its victories."

### BARON KOMURA'S ILLNESS

Physicians Differ in Diagnosis, Some Saying He Has Typhoid Fever.

New York, Sept. 14.—Baron Komura, the Japanese peace envoy, who is reported to be suffering from typhoid fever, although the consulting physicians are not a unit on this point, is said to be in a satisfactory condition. Baron Komura is at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, and his return to Japan has been indefinitely postponed, although most of the members of his suite will set sail for home today, the date originally planned for the departure of the mission.

Many messages of inquiry as to Baron Komura's condition, including one from President Roosevelt, have reached the hotel. Flowers and cards have been left by many friends. Sato, spokesman for the Japanese party, issued the following statement: "Doctors Delafield, Brewer and Pritchard saw Baron Komura in consultation again at 6 p. m. They announce the baron's condition to be favorable, no new symptoms having developed, and the patient having passed a very comfortable day. They are unanimous in the opinion that the baron's condition indicates nothing alarming or serious at present."

Continuing, Sato said that the physicians were not sure that the baron had typhoid fever, and that he might be suffering from complications from gallstones. Among those who called to inquire after Baron Komura was Baron Rosen, one of the Russian peace envoys. He had a short talk with Minister Takahira.

A cablegram was received during the day from Baroness Komura, inquiring as to her husband's condition. The Japanese were much pleased at the receipt of the cablegram, as dispatches had been received in this city reporting Baroness Komura and her children to have been murdered.

### Mystery of the Mikasa.

London, Sept. 14.—A feeling is growing among the members of the Japanese colony and the diplomatic corps here that the battleship Mikasa, which carried members of her brave crew to the bottom, was destroyed by a fanatical sailor. He must have had help, too. There is very little word about a battleship; the facilities for flooding the magazines are perfect, and how the fire could have got such a headway in spite of the efforts of a thoroughly disciplined crew is a mystery.

### Sympathy with the Jap Navy.

Washington, Sept. 14.—Acting secretary Darling has sent a message of condolence to the Japanese minister of the navy, saying: "The American navy sympathizes with you and the Japanese navy in the loss of heroic lives caused by the distressing accident to the Mikasa."

### Meeting of Finns Dispersed.

Helsingfors, Finland, Sept. 14.—Troops with fixed bayonets dispersed a meeting of 800 delegates from all towns in Finland, called for the purpose of discussing the political situation. The police had previously ordered the delegates to disperse, but the order was ignored.

### British Underwriters in a Hole.

London, Sept. 14.—The announcement that by the terms of the Russo-Japanese armistice protocol maritime captures will not be suspended created consternation at Lloyd's, owing to the fact that some insurances had recently been effected at "peace" rates.

### Casualties of Last Week's Disorder.

Tokio, Sept. 14.—According to the metropolitan police estimate of casualties during the recent rioting 388 constables, sixteen firemen and two soldiers were wounded. Among the mob and by-standers nine were killed and 487 were wounded.

### Rioters Threaten the British.

London, Sept. 14.—The correspondent of The Times at Baku says that the English oil companies there have been forced to abandon work owing to threats made by the revolutionaries.

### Doctors to Try the Boycott.

Moscow, Sept. 14.—A congress of doctors held here decided to boycott the national assembly by not participating in the elections.

### Roughs Attack the Jews.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 14.—It is reported from Kursk that gangs of roughs are attacking the Jews.

### SCORES ON THE BALL FIELDS

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Following are the base ball scores:

League: At Boston—Philadelphia 2, Boston 3—ten innings; at Brooklyn—New York 5, Brooklyn 4.

American: At New York—Washington 1, New York 6; at Philadelphia—Boston 0, Philadelphia 1; at Chicago—St. Louis 2, Chicago 7; at Detroit—Cleveland 9, Detroit 2.

Association: At Toledo—Columbus 11, Toledo 3; at Milwaukee—Kansas City 5, Milwaukee 6; at Louisville—Indianapolis 4, Louisville 1; at St. Paul—Minneapolis 7, St. Paul 6; (second game) Minneapolis 3, St. Paul 9—five innings, darkness.

Western: At Des Moines—Sioux City 0, Des Moines 9; at St. Joseph and Omaha—Weather.

## DEFENDS SYNDICATES

Treasurer Cromwell, of the New York Mutual Life, Makes a Statement.

### TRUST COMPANY CONNECTION

Is Also Defended and Reasons Given for Some Methods of Insurance Institutions.

New York, Sept. 14.—A vigorous defense of syndicates and their operations in connection with the insurance business and a frank statement of personal profits gained through their operations made by Frederick Cromwell, treasurer of the Mutual Life Insurance company, was the feature of the session of the special legislative committee appointed to probe methods of life insurance companies in this state. The defense of the syndicate was made by Cromwell soon after he was called to the stand. Before he was asked a question he begged leave to say a few words, and upon being directed to proceed, said:

**Syndicates Are Necessary.** "The law of combination, which affects finance as everything else, has made syndicates necessary. When I became treasurer of the Mutual Life Insurance company the total assets of our company were \$100,000,000. The transactions in my department now are over \$100,000,000 per annum. When our receipts were less—twenty years ago—it was quite possible for us to buy from bond dealers and pay the successive profits, but now it is absolutely impossible to buy advantageously large blocks of securities except as they are floated by these combinations of capital popularly called syndicates, and we have to go into them to get our investments and get them in sufficient size and at 'ground floor' prices.

### Use of the Combinations.

"We could not make our investments without syndicates, and we are partners in every syndicate into which we go. I want to say further, that unless we went into these syndicates we would not be able to invest our funds except by buying in small quantities and paying the successive profits of middlemen.

### Condition, Not a Theory, in Front.

"I ask you, Mr. Hughes, and the committee, to consider that we have now over \$450,000,000 of assets, and while we have over \$100,000,000 invested in bond and mortgage we are constantly under the necessity of finding additional investments for our large accumulations of funds. This is the condition. It is no theory. It is a condition which we meet, and the exhibits are here which show how we have to employ it.

### Advice of President Tappan.

"Our investments are such that when Mr. Tappan, I suppose about the most widely known and honored bank president in his day in New York, died he left it as a condition that his trustees should have one privilege, and that was to invest in the same securities as those of the Mutual Life Insurance company. That is the way we invested our money, but we could not make the transactions of \$1,000,000 a year in the securities bought by this company without using syndicates."

### MAKES \$26,371 IN FIVE YEARS

Why Trust Companies Are Favored by Insurance Concerns.

The acknowledgment of personal profits was made in a tabulated statement which was presented to the committee after recess. It showed that Cromwell had made a personal profit of \$26,371 from syndicate operations during the last five years, in which he individually and the Mutual Life Insurance company had participated. The connection of trust companies with the Mutual Life was brought out when it was stated that the \$1,000,000 subscription to a Japanese loan was shared by the United States Mortgage and Trust company, and the Guarantee Trust company. In explaining this relation, Cromwell said:

"We gave these opportunities to the trust companies in which we held large interests for very good reasons. As I explained this morning, we, as an insurance company, need very large banking facilities for very large interests. It goes without saying that it is better for us to use our own companies rather than to give the institutions with which we have no connection the handling of our large investments. For this reason we put men into the directorate of these subsidiary companies to look after the interests of the Mutual. They are not there for the profit of the interest on the paltry 100 shares they have to hold, but to protect the Mutual.

"The result of our connection with these companies is that in fourteen years we have made through them a profit of \$16,000,000 for the policyholders. \* \* \* This being the state of the case it is natural we should help these subsidiary institutions to make money, and should throw opportunities in their way."

Just before closing the inquiry for the day Hughes said: "We had some talk this morning in connection with another insurance company of joint accounts. Have you any of these?" "No, sir; we have not, and never have had," replied Cromwell.

### Three Papers Suspended.

Tokio, Sept. 14.—The government has ordered the suspension of three newspapers, published respectively at Kofu, Miigata and Otaru, for criticising the peace treaty.

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DANVILLE IS BOOMING

Many Things Seem to Be Coming Her Way That Promise Her Prosperity.

IS QUITE A RAILWAY CENTER

To Say Nothing of Other Things That Make Her Smile—Letter Betrays a Thief.

Danville, Ill., Sept. 14.—This city seems to be on the edge of a boom. Two steamroads are building into Danville, and the following projects are under discussion: Location of half a million dollar shops of the Chicago Southern railroad; removal of the Big Four shops from Urbana to Danville; construction of half a million dollar ten-story hotel and opera house; construction by John R. Walsh of a belt railroad; location of the Hegler zinc smelting works, employing 1,500 men; construction of three new interurban lines.

Belt Railway Nearly Sure.

The belt railroad, the right-of-way for which is being secured, is almost a certainty. This road will connect all seven of the railroads entering the city and will have along its line practically an unlimited number of factory sites, which will be given away to incoming industries. The construction of this road, because of the factories it will bring, is expected to add many thousands to the city's population.

Danville Quite a Center.

Danville's two new railroads, the Chicago Southern and the Danville and Indiana Harbor (Big Four), are nearing completion, and trains will be running early next year. Danville will then be a center for three Big Four lines and the Urbana shops will probably be moved here, the company having purchased a tract of land for that purpose. The Hegler zinc plant, the largest of its kind in the world, has begun the erection of buildings. It will be the means of adding a population of 2,500.

As to Interurban Projects.

The interurban projects are less definite. They include a line from Danville to Lafayette, one from Danville to Hoopston. The latter will probably be built, but the construction of the other two is largely problematical. Nevertheless, the possibility of their construction adds to the general feeling of progress and growth.

BETRAYED BY HIS OWN LETTER

It Not Only Located Him, but Forced Him to Admit His Identity When Arrested.

Marion, Ill., Sept. 14.—Ervin Noland, a young man of West Frankfort, Ill., was placed in jail at Marion, charged with embezzlement. He was arrested in Mount Vernon, Ind., on a warrant sworn out by the Richey Portraiture company, of Chicago, charged with having embezzled sums amounting to \$100 while acting as their agent in this city last month.

Noland was located through a letter he wrote to a young woman of Marion, and Sheriff Harris, of this county, went after him. He had secured another position in Indiana under an assumed name and denied his identity until shown his letter.

Ninety Layers in One Cake.

Paris, Ill., Sept. 14.—During the celebration of the 90th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Catherine Hickman, a feature of the family dinner, which was served on the lawn to 175 guests, was a monster cake, ninety layers, baked by one of the daughters of the hostess. Four of the eight children still survive, and there have been thirty-three grandchildren and fifty-one great-grandchildren. All of the last named are still living.

Texas Fever in Illinois.

Danville, Ill., Sept. 14.—A score or more cases of Texas fever have been discovered among recently imported western cattle in this county. Enoch Ross and Bert Cunningham each lost twelve head near Hoopston. A few other cases have been reported at other points. Steps have been taken to prevent further spread of the disease.

He Claims Self-Defense!

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 14.—At the preliminary hearing in Clinton Tom Vaters, negro, murderer of Lydia Grant, in that city, was held to the grand jury without bail by Magistrate Henry. The negro confesses to shooting the woman, but claims that he shot in self-defense.

Rock Island Man Dies in the East.

Rock Island, Ill., Sept. 14.—A telegram from Marblehead, Mass., says: "Colonel Henry Curtis, of Rock Island, Ill., is dead at the summer home of his daughter, Mrs. Horace W. Jones. Curtis was born in Boston 71 years ago. The body will be removed to Rock Island."

Zeigler Mines No Longer Guarded.

Duquoin, Ill., Sept. 14.—Joseph Leiter has relieved from duty the entire force of guards at the Zeigler mines. The property is without an armed guard for the first time since the exciting days which followed the miners' strike, inaugurated about a year ago.

Glove Fight at Peoria.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 14.—Articles of agreement have been drawn up between a new "Kid" and former and Clarence Forbes for a fight in this city on Tuesday night, Sept. 19, before the Riverside Athletic club.

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR

Hundreds of Citizens Can Tell You All About It.

Home endorsement, the public expression of Dixon people, should be evidence beyond dispute for every Dixon reader. Surely the experience of friends and neighbors, cheerfully given by them, will carry more weight than the utterances of strangers residing in far-away places. Read the following: Mrs. C. Spiller of 1203, Seventh St., says: "When a sufferer from severe pain across the loins which refuses to leave with ordinary treatment at last manages to radically dispose of it by the use of a medicine that sufferer is only too pleased to let the public know the means employed to get relief. I went to Leake's drug store for Doan's Kidney Pills and took a course of treatment. It cured me. I am only too pleased to endorse Doan's Kidney Pills."

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HOW TO AVOID APPENDICITIS.

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orrino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orrino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Rowland Bros.

Avoid serious results of kidney or bladder disorder by taking Foley's Kidney Cure. Rowland Bros.

The North-Western Line.

One of the most interesting series of articles on the subject of the great railways of the country that has appeared recently, is that from the pen of Frank H. Spearman, recently published in the Saturday Evening Post and since printed in book form by Scribners. The chapter descriptive of the Chicago & North-Western Ry. has been published by the passenger department of that line in pamphlet form for general distribution, and will be sent to any address on the receipt of 2 cents for postage. W. B. KNISKERN.

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FEET SWOLLEN TO IMMENSE SIZE.

"I had kidney trouble so bad that I could not work," says J. J. Cox of Valley View, Ky. "My feet were swollen to immense size and I was confined to my bed and physicians were unable to give me any relief. My doctor finally prescribed Foley's Kidney Cure which made a well man of me." Rowland Bros.

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After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of indigestion. Kodol is a thorough digester and a guaranteed cure for indigestion, Gas on the Stomach, Weak Heart, Sour Rising, Bad Breath and all Stomach Troubles. Sold by Rowland Bros.

The Pacific Northwest.

A complete and interesting presentation of the scenic beauty and the rich natural resources and rapid growth of the Pacific Northwest are set forth in a beautifully illustrated booklet recently issued by the Chicago & North-Western Ry., which will be sent to any address on receipt of 4 cents in stamps.

The Lewis and Clark Exposition with the very low excursion rates and personally conducted tours in connection therewith over The North-Western Line from Chicago and the east has created an interest in this subject not before equalled. For full particulars address W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., 215 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago.

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MINERS TAKE A DAY OFF

Ten Thousand Quit Work to Parade and Hear John Mitchell Speak.

Mahanoy City, Pa., Sept. 14.—Five thousand mine workers paraded here in honor of President John Mitchell, who was given a rousing reception. A feature of the demonstration was the bearing at the head of the procession of a large United States flag by twenty-four little girls from the public schools. Every colliery in the Mahanoy valley was closed, the 10,000 employees making a holiday of it. There were only two banners in the procession. They bore these inscriptions: "We Honor Our Two Good Presidents—Roosevelt and Mitchell." "We Demand Recognition of the Union and an Eight-Hour Working Day. Come, Mr. Baer, Let Us Reason Together." President Mitchell's speech after the parade was a virtual reiteration of his former addresses. He will demand "recognition" of the union, and eight-hour work day, and higher wages.

YELLOW FEVER REPORT

Pest Continues to Get New Victims, but New Orleans Authorities Are Not Alarmed.

New Orleans, Sept. 14.—The official yellow fever record to 6 p. m. yesterday was as follows: New cases, 43; total to date, 2,413; deaths yesterday, 4; total, 323; cases under treatment, 303. The average of new cases continues a little higher than was expected, but it is not causing any alarm, as there was ample warning that September could be looked for to inflate the list a little.

Two new points of infection were reported outside of the city. One is at Le Comptre in Rapids parish and the other is Berwick, across the bay from Morgan City, in St. Mary parish. Dr. Chassaing reports from Tululaha that out of forty-two blocks thirty-six are infected.

Powell Has Had Enough.

Camden, N. J., Sept. 14.—William F. Powell, United States minister to Haiti, who is on leave of absence at his home here, announces his intention of tendering his resignation at once. He gives as his reason for resigning the prevalence of revolutions, riots and fever in Haiti. "I have tempted the fates long enough," he said.

Heavyweight at Fight Framed.

Salt Lake City, Sept. 14.—Articles have been signed here for a twenty-round contest between the heavyweights, John Willie, of Chicago, and Gus Ruhlin, the Akron giant, on Sept. 27 before the Athenaeum Athletic club, of this city.

Populace Cries "Help Us."

Monteleone, Sept. 14.—King Victor Emmanuel arrived here and was greeted with cries from the populace of "Help us!" His majesty visited the ruins despite the danger of falling walls.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Sept. 13. Following were the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade today: Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close. Sept. ... \$2.84 1/2 \$2.84 1/2 \$2.81 1/2 \$2.82 Dec. ... .83 3/4 .83 3/4 .82 3/4 .83 3/4 May ... .85 3/4 .85 3/4 .84 3/4 .85 3/4

Corn.

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Oats.

Sept. ... .26 3/4 .26 3/4 .26 3/4 .26 3/4 Dec. ... .27 1/4 .27 1/4 .27 1/4 .27 1/4 May ... .29 1/4 .29 1/4 .29 1/4 .29 1/4

Pork.

Sept. .... 14.70 14.70 14.50 14.60 Oct. .... 12.37 12.37 12.12 12.17 1/2 Jan. .... 12.37 12.37 12.12 12.17 1/2

Lard.

Sept. ... 7.55 7.55 7.35 7.35 Oct. ... 7.60 7.60 7.37 7.40 Jan. ... 6.87 6.87 6.90 6.72 1/2

Short Ribs.

Sept. .... 8.45 8.45 8.45 8.45 Oct. ... 8.57 8.57 8.50 8.52 1/2 Jan. ... 6.42 6.42 6.45 6.35

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 13.

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 25,000. Sales ranged at \$4.50 to \$5.40 for pigs. \$5.25 to \$5.75 for light, \$5.05 to \$5.25 for rough packing, \$5.20 to \$5.85 for mixed, and \$5.35 to \$5.80 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading within the range of \$5.35 to \$5.60 for fair to good averages.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 21,000. Quotations ranged at \$5.70 to \$6.40 for fancy to choice steers, \$4.60 to \$5.60 good to medium steers, \$2.65 to \$4.90 fat cows and heifers, \$3.10 to \$5.00 western range steers, \$6.00 to \$7.75 fair to choice veal calves, \$4.00 to \$6.05 heavy calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day, 40,000. Quotations ranged at \$4.90 to \$5.10 for choice to fancy native wethers, \$4.55 to \$4.90 fair to choice range wethers, \$5.25 to \$5.60 good to fancy light yearlings, \$4.20 to \$4.65 good to fancy mutton ewes, \$6.50 to \$7.50 good to prime range lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.50 poor to choice feeding lambs.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 13.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts, 2 cars; market, steady. Hogs—Receipts, 30 cars; market, lower; pigs, \$5.80; yorkers, medium and heavy, \$5.85 to \$5.90. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 20 cars; market, steady; best lambs, \$7.00 to \$7.25; fair to good, \$6.75 to \$7.00; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6.00; wethers, \$5.25 to \$5.50; mixed sheep, \$5.00 to \$5.25; ewes, \$4.00 to \$5.05. Calves—Market, steady; best, \$8.50 to \$9.00.



KEEN KUTTER. Tool is made of the finest steel and made in the best possible manner by expert workmen. This quality tells in actual use—it means freedom from constant sharpening—it means long and satisfactory service. Even in the beginning Keen Kutter Tools cost little more than inferior qualities—in the end they are by far the cheapest tools you can buy. Keen Kutter Tools have been Standard of America for 36 years and were awarded the Grand Prize at the St. Louis Exposition. Following are a few kinds of Keen Kutter Tools, which your dealer should have—if he hasn't them, write us and we will see that you are supplied. Axes, Adzes, Hammers, Hatchets, Chisels, Screw Drivers, Auger Bits, Files, Planes, Draw Knives, Saws, Tool Cabinets, Scythes, Hay Knives, Grass Hooks, Brush Hooks, Corn Knives, Eye Hoes, Trowels, Pruning Shears, Tinners' Snips, Scissors, Shears, Hair Clippers, Horse Shears, Razors, etc., and Knives of all kinds. Every Keen Kutter Tool is sold under this Mark and Motto: "The Recollection of Quality Remains Long After the Price is Forgotten." SIMMONS HARDWARE COMPANY, ST. LOUIS, U. S. A., 298 Broadway, New York.

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**THE WEATHER.**

CHICAGO, ILL., SEPT. 14 9:50 a.m.  
The following are the weather indications for Northern Illinois:  
Showers and possibly thunderstorms tonight and Friday; warmer tonight; cooler in west portion Friday.

For the week commencing Sept. 10, 1905.

|           | Max. | Min. | Prep. |
|-----------|------|------|-------|
| Sunday    | 83   | 53   | —     |
| Monday    | 80   | 57   | —     |
| Tuesday   | 82   | 57   | —     |
| Wednesday | 80   | 49   | —     |
| Thursday  | —    | —    | —     |
| Friday    | —    | —    | —     |
| Saturday  | —    | —    | —     |

Home receipts filled with as much care as a prescription.  
**Walgreen-Davis Co.**

## WILL GIVE RECEPTION

North Side W. C. T. U. Starts New Year with Meeting with Mrs. Franks Tomorrow.

## PAST YEAR A PROSPEROUS ONE

Members Offered an Opportunity to Surprise the Treasurer.

On Friday, Sept. 15th, at 2:30 the new year begins in W. C. T. U. work and the North Side Union will open the year by giving a reception to all new members. The social will be held at the home of Mrs. Franks on North Ottawa avenue across the railroad track.

The past year has been a prosperous one and the Union wishes to thank the editors who have so kindly printed items and announcements from time to time and thus helped to make it so. Also they would thank all those who have so generously contributed of their time and talent. It has all been appreciated more than words can tell.

Let each member put forth an extra effort to start the new year by being present and bringing one or more friends with her.

It will encourage the new officers to do their best. And why not surprise the new treasurer by paying your dues at this meeting.

## FREE CATHOLIC SCHOOL OPEN

Institution of Higher Education at Jacksonville Is Endowed.

Jacksonville, Ill., Sept. 14.—Routt college, recently dedicated here, is the only free Roman Catholic school in Illinois and the second school of its kind in the west. The institution had its inception with the Rev. J. W. Crowe, rector of the Church of Our Savior, and the college was made a possibility by the gifts of William Routt and Harvey J. Routt of Jacksonville. The object of the school is to furnish higher Catholic education to such persons as would otherwise be denied its blessing. The building was erected at a cost of \$50,000. The faculty numbers eight members. An academic department is all that will be opened this, the initial year, but it is expected to have a collegiate class ready for enrollment by 1906.

## STOP SENDING VULGAR CARDS

Mails Will Be Closed to Sending of Suggestive Pictures.

Washington, D. C.—The mailing of souvenir postal cards of a suggestive and vulgar nature has caused the post-office department to take steps to prohibit the delivery of such souvenir cards.

It is pointed out that possibly more violations of this law occur right here in the nation's capital than in any other city. Hundreds of visitors come and go every day, and these "off color" cards are offered openly for sale in dozens of places. The sellers of such cards apparently have no fear of the postal regulations, despite the fact that both the seller and sender are liable to punishment by the government.

It is probable that a number of arrests will be made by the federal government, and the punishment in such offenses will be a fine not to exceed \$5,000, or imprisonment not to exceed five years.

## Luncheon Club Has Outing.

The Economy Luncheon club went to Grand Detour at 1 o'clock this afternoon in Oer's launch. They will remain for supper at the Sheffield and return in the moonlight.

Take the chill off your room these cool evenings and mornings by a Gas Heater. They cost but little. See the Gas Co. 211013

**THE BARGAIN COUNTER**  
Merchants to Their Patrons

**DINNER AND SUPPER**

Tomorrow the ladies of the Christian church will serve a fried chicken dinner and supper in the Baker building on Galena Ave., near the bridge. The following is the menu—Fried chicken, sweet potatoes, tomatoes, mashed potatoes, salad, bread, butter, pie, cake and coffee. 214t1

Now or never. Secure your piano Saturday evening before 10. Theo. J. Miller's great factory price sale is but once and never again.

**CARPET CLEANING**  
Leave orders at W. C. Jones, Dement-town, or by mail.  
207124 JOHN COFFEY, Rural No. 3.

A. B. Chase, Vose & Sons, Hobart M. Cable, Krutzman, Price and Teeple, Schaefer and others all at factory prices and easy terms. Sale closes Saturday at 10 o'clock, p. m.

## THE RIDEAU LAKES.

The Rideau River, lakes and canal, a unique region, comparatively unknown, but affording the most novel experience of any trip in America. An inland waterway between the St. Lawrence River at Kingston and the Ottawa River at Ottawa: every mile affords a new experience. It is briefly described in No. 34 of "Four-Track Series," "To Ottawa, Ont.; Via the Rideau Lakes and River." Copy will be mailed free on receipt of a 2-cent stamp by George H. Daniels, General Passenger Agent, Grand Central Station, New York.

Most remarkable piano selling is the history of Theo. J. Miller's factory price piano sale which closes Saturday at 10 o'clock, p. m.

## Attention Ladies!

All who are willing to help the ladies of the People's church with their Bread and Cake Sale" please bring their donation to the I. B. Countryman store Saturday Sept. 16th, 1905. 214t37

Theo. J. Miller music store: Open evenings

## Souvenir Postal Card Co.

The latest fad in our Souvenir Postal Card on receipt of 25c to pay postage we will send you fifty names of the Souvenir Club who are collecting Souvenir Postal Cards from all over the world and will gladly exchange Souvenir Cards with you. We will also send you free a sample of our 10,000 collection for sale by us. Write quick. Souvenir Postal Card Co., 45 LaSalle St., Room 8, Chicago. 208t10

Never again. Theo. J. Miller's factory price piano sale closes Saturday evening at 10 o'clock, p. m.

The Dixon Cereal Company is paying 57c for good milling rye. 210t5

If your eyes trouble you have them examined at Burkart's. It costs you nothing. 109 First St., Dixon, Ill.

## WILLOW CREEK.

Lee, Ill., Sept. 12.—Threshing over with and machines pulled into winter quarters.

Vernon Noyer and family are visiting relatives in Ohio.

Fred Erbes and wife of Sublette were visiting relatives in this vicinity over Sunday.

John Zinke of Brooklyn was visiting friends here over Sunday.

Rev. F. Kreager of DeKalb county preached here Sunday.

Lewis Pettinger is looking after the interest of his land in Clay county, Iowa, at present.

Ole Winter, who is ill and in poor circumstances, was tendered the threshing bill and labor of the company machine here.

George Moore and wife of Somanauk were visiting in Lee a few days.

John Abell of Compton and Philip Abell of Lee are in Canada for a month's visit.

Philip Scheenholtz and wife are visiting in Iowa, Dakota and Minnesota.

Miss Anna Wilson has resigned as night operator at the telephone office and Miss Nora Gallup has taken her place.

Miss Eva Nicols of Wisconsin is teaching the school in Hillison district.

## Postpone Lodge Meeting.

The meeting of the Fraternal Order of Eagles which was scheduled for Friday has been postponed until Monday night.

—Daniel Boyles of Ashton is visiting in Dixon.

—E. B. and D. E. Raymond and families returned yesterday from their vacation trip in the north.

Spices—The best we can buy. Walgreen-Davis Co.

**DIXON OPERA HOUSE**

**MONDAY**  
SEPT. 18

**YOUNG & CHAPMAN**  
PRESENT

**MISS EULALIE YOUNG**

and her excellent company in the funny musical comedy,

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Good Singing and Dancing,  
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## Special Assessment Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, having by ordinance ordered the construction of a macadamized roadway on East Boyd Street from the West line of North Ottawa Avenue to the East line of North Crawford Avenue, in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois; that the ordinance for said improvement being on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, application was made to the County Court of Lee County, on the 7th day of September A. D. 1905 for an assessment of the costs of said improvement according to the benefits.

An assessment therefor having been made and returned to said court the final hearing thereon will be held on the 25th day of September A. D. 1905 at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

All persons so desiring may file objections in said Court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

The assessments are made payable in five annual installments, all of which will bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum according to law, until paid.

Dixon, Illinois, September 8th, 1905.  
E. L. SHANER,  
Commissioner appointed to make assessment.

## CHICO CIGARS MAKE FRIENDS

Walgreen-Davis Co. Say They Are Now the Largest Sellers in Their Cigar Case.

Give a man a Wadsworth Bros' Chico and you have a friend for life, and at the same time show that you are a smoker of good cigars.

Walgreen-Davis Co., who are the local agents for this brand say they never before introduced a cigar to their trade that gave such general satisfaction as the Chico, and although they have had them sent for only a short time they are today the largest seller in their case. It is quality that has made this sale, and that keeps increasing it from day to day.

"A man who first tried a Chico yesterday," say Walgreen-Davis Co., "will come in today and get some more and we are sure that he will continue a friend to Chicos."

They are made with a long, clear, Havana filler, of the best quality tobacco, burn freely with a pleasant, mild fragrance, and although they sell for but five cents are equal to most fifteen cent cigars, and superior to a great many of the ten cents. If you like a good cigar from imported tobacco, call at Walgreen-Davis Co's drug store for a Chico.

## FOR SALE.

A SOW and Pigs, 6 Shoats, 1 fine family cow. J. M. Honey. 1014 North Crawford Ave. 214t39

GRAPES by the bushel for canning or wine. Very nice and cheap. Home phone 150; 917 North Crawford Ave. J. L. Hartwell. 214t65

## WANTED

GIRL for general housework. Mrs. E. E. Wingert, 608 North Dixon avenue. 214t5

## FOR RENT

7 ROOM house, corner 2nd and Monroe, occupied by Mrs. Angelo, Furnace, gas, electric lights, city water. Geo. C. Loveand. 214t63

8 ROOM house, one block west of College at 1233 Third street, city water, gas, hot water furnace, small barn. Inquire of H. Horton, 1303 West Sixth street. 214t62

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| Boys' Knee Pant School Suits, ages 6 to 16 years, at \$2, \$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.50 and \$5. | Boys' Negligee Shirts, detached cuffs, at 50c.                            |
| Boys' Long Pant Suits, ages 14 to 20 years, at \$5, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$10.              | Boys' Waists at 25c and 39c.                                              |
| Boys' Knee Pants, ages 4 to 16 years, at 39c, 50c, 75c and \$1.                           | Boys' and Girls' School Shoes                                             |
| Boys' Long Pants at \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3.                                     | Boys' School Shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, at \$1.25, 1.50 and \$2.        |
| Boys' School Furnishings                                                                  | Boys' School Shoes, 13 to 2, at \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50.                |
| Boys' Caps, latest Fall styles at 25c and 50c.                                            | Little Gents' School Shoes, sizes 9 to 13 1/2, at 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.35. |
| Boys' Hats, latest Fall styles at 50c and \$1.                                            | Children's School Shoes, sizes 8 1/2 to 11, at 98c.                       |
| Boys' Extra Heavy Ribbed Stockings, 14c and 25c.                                          | Misses' School Shoes, sizes 11 1/2 to 2, at \$98c and \$1.25.             |
|                                                                                           | Young Ladies' School Shoes, 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, at \$1.50, \$1.69 and \$2.    |

**Young's Latest Fall Style Hats Have Arrived.**

Derbies and Fedoras in all the latest shapes and colors for Fall.

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Drink Dixon Beer and thus Patronize Home Industry.

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**New Fall Millinery**  
.....AT.....  
**MISS MULKINS**  
106 East First St.

**What's New in Fall Hats?**  
**COME IN AND SEE**

The new blocks are in and await your coming. As a hint—we will just remark—get a High Hat this Fall. Not high in price—none of our hats are that, but high in the crown. Stiff Hats and Soft Hats, and not a fancy price on a single Hat we sell. We know the best hat makers in the country and we tie to them. Drop in and take a look at the New Fall Shapes. Try on a few of the different styles. Perhaps we can save you a dollar or so on your new hat. You can tell by looking.

**JOE PETERSBERGER.**  
113 First Street. Dixon, Illinois  
SIGN RED TRUNK.